IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE, ANDHRA PRADESH
AT HYDERABAD

(Special Original Jurisdiction)

WEDNESDAY, THE TWENTIETH DAY OF APRIL
TWO THOUSAND AND FIVE

PRESENT

THE HON'BLE MR JUSTICE ELIPE DHARMA RAO

WRIT PETITION NO : 7933 of 2005

Between:

Y. Sumathi, W/o. Bala Veeraiah,
Kotha Kandriga, Ramachandrapuram Mandal, Chittoor District.

..... PETITIONER

AND

1 The Revenue Divisional Officer, Chittor District. Chittoor.
2 The Joint Collector, Chittoor, Chittoor District.

.....RESPONDENTS

Petition under Article 226 of the constitution of India praying that in the circumstances stated in the Affidavit filed herein the High Court will be pleased to Issue a writ, order or direction more particularly one in the nature of writ of Mandamus declaring the action of the 1st respondent in canceling the petitioner's authorization as Fair Price Shop Dealer of Kothakandriga Village, F.P. Shop No.II of Ramachandrapuram Mandal, Chaittoor District in his Roc. (B) 2777/2004, dt. 28.3.2005 without considering the record and documents as illegal, unjust, arbitrary, without application of mind, extraneous, malafide and under the political influence and against the statutory provisions and consequently set aside the impugned order dt. 28.3.2005 passed by the 1st respondent in his Roc.No.(B) 2777/2004 and pass such other order or orders.

Counsel for the Petitioner: MR.L.J.VEERA REDDY

Counsel for the Respondents: GP FOR CIVIL SUPPLIES

The Court at the stage of admission made the following :

ORAL ORDER:

Aggrieved by the action of the first respondent in cancelling her authorization as a Fair Price Shop dealer, by an order dated 28-3-2005, the petitioner filed this writ petition.

The first respondent cancelled the authorization of the petitioner after conducting a detailed enquiry and on certain proved irregularities. However, against the said order of cancellation of her authorization, the petitioner without preferring any appeal before the appellate authority, which is an alternative and efficacious remedy available to her, has straight away come to this Court with this writ petition. Therefore, I am not inclined to continue this writ petition any more, since there is an alternative remedy of appeal before the second respondent is available to the petitioner.

Accordingly, the writ petition is dismissed, at the stage of admission. No order as to costs. However, this order of dismissal does not preclude the petitioner in preferring any appeal before the appellate authority seeking redressal.

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kvsn 20-04-2005

To

1 The Revenue Divisional Officer, Chittor District. Chittoor.

2 The Joint Collector, Chittoor, Chittoor District.

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